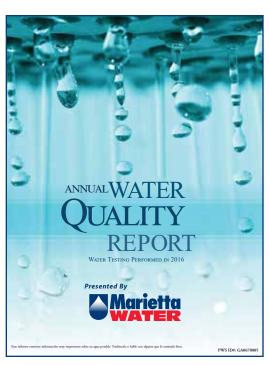




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### Marietta Power and Water are Proud to Present Our Annual Water Quality Report



Safe drinking water is critical to the physical and economic health of our community. The delivery of high quality, safe drinking water is our mission. Achieving and maintaining water quality through the treatment and conveyance is an intricate and complex process. Each year we compile an annual Water Quality Report with data describing our perpetual evaluation of your drinking water quality. We hope that providing you with this report will impart confidence in the safety and quality of your drinking water.

Marietta Power and Water's new Water Quality Report is now available on our website and contains details of the drinking water testing that was performed between January 1 and December 31, 2016. Our water is continually monitored for quality control and assurance, both at the treatment plant and in the distribution system. Thousands of water samples are taken and tested each year to monitor for substances such as pesticides, herbicides, microbial, organic and inorganic contaminants. This monitoring, once again, confirms that your water supply meets or exceeds all state and federal drinking water standards.

"Our staff continues to work hard every day—at any hour—to deliver the highest quality drinking water without interruption. This report meets the federal Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) requirements for the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) and contains information on the source of our water, its constituents, and the health risks associated with any contaminants."

The Water Quality Report includes specific information about lead and copper monitoring. Due to low levels of lead and copper historically found in our service area (and an associated low level of risk for lead and copper contamination), the Cobb County–Marietta Water Authority and Marietta Water are required to submit samples collected at customer taps to the state only once every three years. The next round of sampling is scheduled for this year, 2017.

To access the Water Quality Report, you can go online to http://www.mariettaga.gov/ArchiveCenter/ViewFile/Item/2066, or to request a paper report delivered to your home, call (770) 794-5229. We are always available to assist you should you ever have any questions or concerns about your water. For more information, visit our website at mariettapowerandwater.com.

# Marietta Power and Water Receives National Recognition for Reliable Electric Operations



Marietta Power and Water is pleased to announce that Marietta Power has earned a Reliable Public Power Provider (RP3) designation from the American Public Power Association for providing reliable and safe electric service.

The RP3 designation, which lasts for three years, recognizes public power utilities that demonstrate proficiency in four key disciplines: reliability, safety, workforce development and system improvement. Criteria include sound business practices and a utility-wide commitment to safe and reliable delivery of electricity. Marietta Power and Water joins more than 220 public power utilities nationwide that hold the RP3 designation.

"A tremendous amount of hard work and dedication went in to ensuring we were again recognized as a Reliable Public Power Provider," said Ron Mull, General Manager of Marietta Power and Water. "Our staff has worked tirelessly to provide reliable and safe electricity to its customers at such a high level of service."

The American Public Power Association has offered the RP3 designation for 12 years now. The Association is the voice of not-for-profit, community-owned utilities that power 49 million people in 2,000 towns and cities nationwide. The Association advocates and advises on electricity policy, technology, trends, training, and operations.

# Congratulations to All Our Linemen Who Participated in the 23rd Annual Georgia Lineman's Rodeo

Marietta Power and Water is pleased to announce that it was represented by two lineman teams, and eight of its apprentice linemen, who competed and won various awards at the 23rd Annual Georgia Lineman's Rodeo held at Camp John Hope near Fort Valley, Georgia on May 6th, 2017.

Our Marietta Journeymen and Apprentice Lineman achieved an impressive list of awards and accomplishments at the 2017 Georgia Linemen's Rodeo.

These accomplishments include 7 - 1st place awards, 10 - 2nd place awards, 1 - 3rd place award, and 1 - 5th place award.

#### Calendar

#### Friday, June 30

**Glover Park Concert Series** 

8 p.m.

Swingin' Medallions – Party Band of the South For more information, please visit www.mariettaga.gov/concerts, or call (770) 794-560

Marietta Power and Water will be closed on Tuesday, July 4 in honor of Independence Day.

### Saturday, September 16, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday, September 17, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

26th Annual Marietta StreetFest — Now a two-day event

Glover Park on the Historic Marietta Square Event hours:

**Arts & Crafts Vendor Market:** Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**Kids Korner:** Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Entertainment on Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.)

**Hubcaps & History Classic Car Show:** Saturday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Military, Motorcycles & More Cruise-In:** Saturday, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Toy Box Trot:** Saturday, 8:30 a.m.

Marietta Grassroots Music Festival: Saturday, 3 to 9 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m.

For the festival map and more information visit mariettastreetfest.com.

For a complete list of City of Marietta events, please visit www.mariettaga.gov and click on Calendar of Events.

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